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the introduction of the fourteen bills relating to the elections. The chair understands that we now have a statement of intent on the Senators desks. Before we do that, the chair would like to recognize ten students and three adults from the First through the Eighth Grade from Fairbury District 69 school. Their instructor is Mrs. Leta Blas and they are from Senator Mareash and Senator Carstens district and they are located in the south balcony. We are delighted to have you here today as visitors of the Nebraska Unicameral Legislature. Now, Senator Barnett, back to you.

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I move to suspend the Rules for the introduction of the package of bills. You asked for an explanation. I have put a letter on your desk from the Secretary of State explaining the reason for these bills. Everyone, as I understand it, would require public hearing, possibly, to make your changes. We, also, have in the three or four pages besides the letter the Sections of the Statutes that are affected. A lot of it is technical and a lot of the changes, if there is any changes that are not technical changes, I understand there is two, was made and recommended from the Clerks, the County Clerks and the City Clerks, and the two parties from across the state. If you have any questions with relationship to the introduction of these bills, I would attempt to answer it.

PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion, now, of the motion? Any further discussion. Any questions of Senator Barnett regarding the introduction of the bills? All right. The question is shall the Rules be suspended and the fourteen bills introduced. All those in favor will vote aye. All those opposed will vote no. The chair would, of course, observe, maybe even redundantly, that it does take 30 votes. Have you all voted? Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: (mike off) in this session so that it can take care of...if you pay attention to the third paragraph there, it explained that we need this legislation this year because next year will be too late. I am talking to you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett has asked for a Call of the House. The clerk will clear the Board. Well, stand by here. Just a moment. We have a malfunction of the machine this morning. It has been a little troublesome too, here.

CLERK: 30 ayes, 1 nay.

PRESIDENT: OK. The Rules are suspended and the fourteen bills introduced. Do we need to read those by title.

CLERK: Yep, we sure do.

PRESIDENT: Stand by. We will read the titles.

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Mr. President, a motion

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